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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

Part B for June 1912

SUBJECT.

Increase of the Police force on the K

1. From the J. of Police No 7093-682 of 31-5-11.
Submits proposals for the increase of the Police force on the K. S. S.
2. To the same effect. No 73508 of 26-6-11.
Returns the above for being submitted through the Comptroller as required by standing orders.
3. From the Comptroller. No 9960-201 of 18-9-11.
demands only verified the Proposition statement and the J. of Police proposals in the matter.

P.T. 20

in the 29 of 1911.

At Early Session of Government for the proposed
case of the Police force on the 18th.

in 29 of 1911, the Comptroller, the Chief Engineer.

of 1875-6-8-12 24-6-12

which the 1875 proposals & requests the chief
will to provide funds for the construction
quarter for the Police.

GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

(Police)

NOTES.

File No. 230-10

FILE HEADING.

re. of the Police Force on the K. G. F.

From

The K. G. F. Police in Mysore.

No. 7093-682

Dated 31-5-11

Received 1-6-11

Diary No. J3024

Enclos. 3

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BRIEF ABSTRACT OF LETTER.

Submits proposals for the increase of the police force on the Kolar Gold Fields.

NOTES AND ORDERS.

The proposition statement has not been verified by the Comptroller & required by Rules. Subd. with a draft returning the same.

B.S. 11. SN(11)

y *Issue and submit to the Dewan for info.*

Notes—First sheet

GPB-15,000-21/1009.

Sub to 12th Dec 11. 11-10-11/611

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To
The J. G. P. no. J 3508 D/ 24.6.11

Returns the above for being
subd. through the Comptroller as required
by standing orders.

2) Subd. to 1st Councillor for
information.

13.6.11 SN

4) Seen.

14/6/11
27/6/11

5)

Subd to Dewan for personal.

27/6/11

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27/6/11

6) Seen 27/6/11
M.

17/11

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From
The Comptroller. no. 1960-201 D/ 23.9.11

Forwards only verified the
proposition statement & the J. G. P. proposals
in the matter.

1) The reasons for the
increase are given in detail in
the Dy. Commr's letter to the J. G. P.

2) The following increase in the

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force is proposed:-

(1) 3 first grade Hd Constables at } Rs 105
Rs 25+10 each

(2) 1 Secnd _____ at Rs 20+0 Rs 30

(3) 15 first class constables at } Rs 195
Rs 9+4 each

(4) 25 Secnd class constables } Rs 300
at Rs 8+4 each

Total Rs 630 p.m.

1) Add to the above Rs 10 per mensem
good conduct allowance. Thus the
total expenditure will be Rs 640
per mensem or Rs 7680 per
annum.

1D) Besides the above the provision
under equipment & clothing is
proposed to be increased by Rs 600.

1D) The recurring annual additional
expenditure will therefore be Rs 8280.
Provision has also to be made for
quarters to officers and men.

12) Subs for overs. May B & T
be consulted as regards funds?

G.S.
8/11/11

13) Please note whether crime
has increased on the fields during

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the last 8 or 9 years - also the strength
 of the Detective force maintained on
 the fields.

14) Officers under the Minis Reg
 do not seem to have increased during
 the last 5 or 6 years. Please note the
 figures for the period.

8/11/11 Sd

15) Subd. The no. of officers...
 on the fields does not seem to have
 gone up during the last 8 or 9 years.
 except in 1905-06 the no. seems to
 be more or less stationary at about
 750. The figures as gathered from the
 Police Administration Reports of previ-
 -ous years are noted below:-

1902-03	1903-04	1904-05	1905-06	1906-07	1907-08	1908-09	1909-10
cannot be gathered.	753	736	732	795	733	745	734

16) The strength of the Detective
 Establishment on the fields is:-

2 Inspectors.

2 140 Constables.

14 Constables.

17) The no. of officers under the

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Mines Reputation since its
-tion in its new form in 1906 is as
follows:-

1906-07		1907-08		1908-09		1909-10	
Brought into by the police	Brought into by other agency	Brought into by the police	Brought into by other agency	Brought into by the police	Brought into by other agency	Brought into by the police	Brought into by other agency
22	7	44	15	39	15	56	16

B. G.
16/11/11

18) The increase in the strength of
the force on the fields is asked for on two
grounds viz (1) increase of population since
the last Census and (2) the
promiscuous character of the population that
gathers on the fields. The latter is an
old argument and has been advanced
on former occasions in support of a request
for increase in the strength of the then existing
forces.

19) There has no doubt been an increase
in the population since the Census of 1901
but as against this it has to be remembered
that the Police force was augmented
in 1905 - not to mention the fact
that the special organisation of the Police on the
fields was sanctioned in 1902.

20) There has been no increase of crime

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on the Fields since 1905-06-- on the contrary the figures show a decrease.

21) ~~When~~ Comparisons with other towns having the same or a ~~a~~ larger population does not perhaps help us much in deciding whether an increase in the force ^{on K. P. 7} is necessary or not. Unless we are also in possession of the special conditions obtaining in each of the towns, no useful comparison can be made with them. E.g. The K. P. 7. Area is subject to the provisions of the Mines Regn. an enactment which adds considerably to the powers of the Police.

22) It may be noted that a detachment of 10 men from the Special Reserve Police is stationed on the fields. The Deputy Commissioner's letter leaves the impression that the services of these men are not fully utilised. Perhaps if this detachment is strengthened by another ten men as was the case prior to 1905. there will be no necessity to sanction ~~a~~ such a large addition to the existing staff as to men.

23) K. P. 7. is not very far off from Bangalore and in the case of an

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"Emergency" such as is refd to by
the Deputy Commr, the Special Recn
from Bangalore can be requisitioned
without undue delay or inconvenience.

24) If the proposals under consideration
are to be approved the Financial Branch
will have to be consulted.

22/11/11.

Sd/

Keep

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23/11/11

Secy 25) Has this subject been brought up by
the representatives of the Mining Board
at the Desara - If so please put up extract
from the representations.

Min
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He should have
this up
Earlier
Sd/

26) Subd. the extract
Local Subject no. 5 of the Kolar Dt is
is put up.

Augmentation of"a Force"

We understand
that proposals in
connection are now
before Govt. We wish
early sanction.

H. H. A Cooke,
H. G. F. Mining Bd.

Remarks by the Dy. Commr:-

The D. G. of Police:-

Indispensable

Very desirable.

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Copies of the address of the Mining
B.D. and the Dewan's reply thereto are
also subd.

B.G.
12-2-12 M(u)

SA

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Secy) 27)

file brought

Secy. for submitting a
from the J. S. P.

A from The J. S. P. no. 3322-4747/24-2-12

Requests early sanction of govt.
for the proposed increase of the police force
on the H. G. F.

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Re Subd.

B.G.
12-3-12

M(u)

29) The Dy. P. P. here pray for
Early orders - [Please see his letter
dated 24th Feb. 12].

SA

12/3/12

Secy) 30)

I think a good case has been
made out for an increase of
the police force in the H. G. F. Bangalore
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is said to be very much under-
manned but compared even with
it, the K.G.F. police force is weaker
in proportion to area & population

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Br II for opinion)

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12/3/12

II
He has the meaning of
K.G.F. has furtherance
means the understanding
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Sub
N. 26
12/3/12

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To Branch III for kindly providing the
information required in the margin.

RA
13/3/12

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33) Sub. The mining cos. do
not pay anything towards the cost of
the ^{ordinary} police on the K.G.F. But they pay
a sum of Rs 13000 annually for
the Detective Establishment.

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34) Branch II
Sub
M247
15.3.12

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35)
The policing of the K.G.F.
is solely in the interests

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Mining Companies. There is no fixed popⁿ the whole Comprehⁿ is made up of floating population. It would only be liable to grant the barest force necessary for keeping order & nothing more. If more is wanted it would be perfectly justifiable to ask them to contribute. With a spl detective staff the ordinary police duty would not require many men. An addⁿ to the recurring exp^e of the State is not desirable in the present condition of our expenditure.

Deccan)

36) I agree

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37)

[The note of the Departmental Asst Secy dated 22.11.11 shows to my mind that the increase asked for is not absolutely necessary. With the Dist Reserve and the Special Reserve of the Police force and the large expenditure that is incurred on the Barr force, any additional expend^e to avoid "serious risk of danger to public safety" is not justifiable. A redistribution of the Police Reserves & the Barr may be necessary but that is a departmental matter.

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16.3.12

But 2 did not then
with the Police on K.G. 7.
was small
SA

D.G.P.'s letter of
24.2.1912.

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Subd.

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Subd. Com. S.A.
on Monday
30/8/12

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I recommended this as I. S. of P.
after careful consideration
the need for the increase

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Circulate

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(1 x 100)

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There is a fairly good case for some
increase. I do not know what the
total reserve force of the Kolar &

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is. Cannot the whole of that
force be transferred to the
Kolar goldfield? Perhaps
this would not be possible.

43 I think half the increase
asked for may be sanctioned

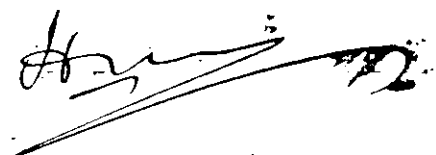
1 H.D. C. 1st gr at 25-10.

1 do. 2nd gr at 20-10

8 Const. 1st cl. at 9-4.

12 do. 2nd cl at 8-4.

With such additions for clothing &c
as may be necessary.

20/4/12 

Dewan

esb

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N^o C. 277.
19. 4. 12.

GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

Council Matter.

SUBJECT.

*Increase of Police force on the Kolar
Gold Fields.*

ATED TO COUNCILLORS.

By Order,

19th April.....1912.

Cs Balasundaram
Offg. Secretary to Government.

First Councillor.

Second Councillor.

Opinion recorded.

Police file no 280710-11

SUBJECT No. 454. *Summary of discussion.*—We understand that proposals in connection with the augmentation of the Police Force are now before Government. We solicit early sanction.

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 augmentation of Police Force.
 r. H. M. A. Cooke, Kolar Gold Fields Mining Board.

Reply of Government.—Under consideration. Vide also Dewan's reply to Mining Board's Address.

Subd.
 US The matter is under consideration

This ^{note} may be placed in the file on the subject.

B.S. SN
 (54) 19.4.12.

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 25/4/12

Pdner

Police file no 28071910-11

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6. Augmentation of Police Force.—We are pleased to learn that, in connection with representations previously made as to the need of more constables for the effective patrolling of the Field, especially between sunset and sunrise, proposals are now before His Highness' Government, and we earnestly hope that they will soon be sanctioned.

Subd.

47 This ~~will~~ be included in the file on the subject

AS. S/W (11)
29/12/12

Sd

25/4/12

Am.

48 I agree with the ~~2nd~~ Committee - [proposition that an industrial enterprise should bear the cost of policing it advanced in the Financial Dept. is rather queer] ~~2nd~~ 2 May 12

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File No 280 of 1910-11

Submitted to His Highness.

49. These papers relate to a proposal to increase the Police Force at Kolar Gold Fields.

50. 2. With his letter No. 7093-682 dated 31st May 1911 the Inspector General of Police (Mr. D. Devaraj Urs) submitted a proposal from the Deputy Commissioner of Kolar (Mr. Srikanthaswara Aiyar) asking for an increase of Police Force in the Kolar Gold Fields said to be urgently needed owing to the rapid development of the gold mining industry during the previous six years and recommended strongly that the Deputy Commissioner's proposal may be sanctioned.

51. 3. The Police Force of the Kolar Gold Fields was organized in 1902 and an additional force of 20 constables was subsequently sanctioned in 1905 for the newly opened Police Station at Robertsonpet. It is now urged that since then the population has considerably increased and the mining industries enlarged and that as the population was largely a floating one with a considerable percentage of criminal classes, it required greater vigilance on the part of the Police to maintain law and order among them.

A. 4. The Deputy Commissioner also brings to notice the comparatively unfavourable situation of the Gold Fields in

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the matter of Police protection, as compared with certain cities in and out of Mysore though in the matter of population they are nearly equal while the Gold Fields would easily stand if violent and criminal characters are alone taken into consideration. Thus Bangalore City with a population of 88,670 has a Police Force 327 strong which works out at one police man per 271 persons and 32 per square mile. The Mysore City with a population of 70,849 has a police force of 321 which works out at one police man for 20 persons and 44 per square mile. The figures for Civil and Military Station are one police man for 326 persons and 6 men for each square mile. The Kolar Gold Fields with a population of 83,721 and an area of 19 square miles has a police strength of 214 men which means that there is one police man for 391 persons and eleven police men for each square mile. Similar figures have also been quoted for Madras, Trichinopoly and Salem in the Madras Presidency but we need not pursue the comparison any further. There is no doubt that judged by this test the Kolar Gold Fields deserve some consideration in the matter of the increased strength asked for.

5. The Deputy Commissioner further points out that outposts in the thickly populated Masikam and Urigam village cooly colonies are urgently called for and that the

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Stations at Champion Reefs, Marikuppam and Urigam require strengthening as at present there is no margin available for day patrol duty. On these considerations the Deputy Commissioner asks for an increase of 4 head constables and 40 constables at a cost of Rs.640 per mensem. He also proposes to increase the good service allowance which now stands at Rs.90 to Rs.100 and an increase of Rs.600 per annum under equipment and clothing. These proposals have met with the entire support of the Inspector General of Police.

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6. The Financial Department is unable to support the proposal and thinks that an addition to the recurring expenditure of the State is not desirable in the present condition of the Finance. Mr. Chakravarti appears to suggest that by 'a redistribution of the Police reserves and the Barr, there need be no serious risk of danger to Public safety'. It may be pointed out here that the Deputy Commissioner has distinctly stated that the additional force wanted was for actual police work and not for the semi-military duties of a Police reserve.

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7. After giving the matter my earnest consideration, I am inclined to think that the Inspector General of Police has made out a good case for the increase to the existing Police Force at the Gold Fields. In this connection I may invite reference to the address of the Repre-

Representative of Kolar Gold Fields Mining Board at the last Dasara meeting, wherein this topic was touched upon and an increase of force asked for, not for the first time. The Second Councillor recommends the sanction of the proposal in its entirety. The First Councillor thinks that half the increase asked for may be sanctioned.

56 8. I agree with the Second Councillor in thinking that the situation requires sanction being accorded 'in toto' to the increase of establishment asked for, which is as follows:-

3	Head Constables, 1st grade	at Rs.25 - 10 each	-Rs.105
1	- - - 2nd grade	at Rs.20 - 10	-Rs. 30
15	Constables, 1st class	at Rs. 9 - 4	-Rs.195
25	" 2nd class	at Rs. 8 - 4	-Rs.300
	Good conduct allowance	-	Rs. 10

Total Rs.640 per mensem
or Rs.7,680 per annum.

Equipment and clothing for

the additional force Rs. 600

Rs. 600

Total - Rs.8,280 per annum.

The proposal also involves an initial lump-sum expenditure of Rs.23,200 for building quarters for officers and men.

9. The above proposal is recommended for sanction.

T. Mandakam
10 May 12

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Police File 2307/1910 11 19

Record of cases submitted for the orders of

His Highness the Maharaja.

SUBJECT.

Proposal of the Deputy Commissioner,
Kolar District, for an increased Police
Force for the Kolar Gold Fields.



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ORDER.

Sanctioned

KRUW

15/5/12

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Please put up draft-

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B.G.
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20/5/12

Subd. with a draft.

61. may be appd.

[After issue file will have
to be sent to the Fin. Secy for
perusal of H.H.'s orders]

31/5/12

Secy 62 The draft may be ready
reunited as unacted &
made

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62! The file has
been noted on by the
Fin. Branch and order
W.H. received. Let
me see the Circular

63 Resud. with a clean copy
of the draft. According to recent orders
Circular issued by the Financial Secretary
the draft has to be issued only
after obtaining the concurrence of
the F.C. Dept.

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Note - Contn. sheet
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General and Revenue
Secretariat.

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64 Clean draft put up.

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65 As far as I am able to judge it is not necessary to send the file to the Fin^l Secretary before the issue of the order, as the opinion of the Financial Dept has been recorded and orders of the Govt order of 1907 about the appointment of the Financial Secretary.

Yes
in

66 The order may issue and the file then sent to the Fin^l Sec^y for perusal of H^{is} order

21/6/12 *SB**Sec^y*

draft approved.

Draw & forwarded to

Financial Sec^y for perusal& H^{is} orderSent by
Fin^l Sec^y63
27/6*SB*
27/6/12

4 To The J. G. P., The Comptroller & the Ch. Secy
no. J3756-8 D/ 24.6.12
Sanctions the J. G. 's proposal

NOTE—Contn. sheet.

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file no. 230-1
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FROM

*The Inspector-General of Police
in Mysore.*

TO

*The Secretary to the Govt. of
H. H. the Maharaja of Mysore,
Gen. & Rev. Depts.*

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Dated

Despatched

Received

General No.

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Enclosure No. 3

*Requesting sanction & sanction
for the proposal for the
increase of the Police force
the Kolar Gold Field*

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Encl. Three

OFFICE OF THE INSPECTOR-GENERAL OF POLICE IN MYSORE

Dated Bangalore, 31st May 1911.

FROM

D. Devaraj Urs Esquire,

Inspector-General of Police in Mysore.

TO

C. S. Balasundaram Iyer Esquire, B.A.,

*Cf. Secretary to the Government of H. H. the Maharaja of Mysore,
General and Revenue Departments.*

SIR,

I have the honor to forward herewith copies of letter No.C.176 dated 13th April 1911 and of its enclosures from the Deputy Commissioner, Kolar District, submitting proposals for the increase of Police force in the Kolar Gold Fields urgently needed owing to the rapid development of the gold mining industry for the past 6 years.

2. The Police force of the Kolar Gold Fields was organized in the year 1902 vide Government Proceedings No.12192-95/J.984 dated 23rd January 1902 and an additional force of 20 constables was subsequently sanctioned in the year 1905 for the newly opened Robertsonpet Police station. vide Government Proceedings No.2519-20/Police.83-3 dated 6th March 1905. Since then the population has considerably increased and this being a floating one requires greater vigilance on the part of the Police to maintain law and order among them.

3. From the comparative statement showing area, population &c of certain cities in

of Policemen to population is much less in the Kolar Gold Fields than the cities of Bangalore and Mysore, though the population is only about 5000 less than the Bangalore City. I may be permitted here to observe that the Kolar Gold Fields cannot be compared with the cities of the same population as situations and conditions are different. The Kolar Gold Fields has mostly low class of people who are addicted to the commission of offences and especially thefts for which there is ample temptation in the Fields.

4. The Deputy Commissioner proposes the following additional force to the existing sanctioned strength:-

3 Head constables 1st grade at Rs.25+10 each	Rs.105/-
1-----do----- 2nd grade at Rs.20+10	Rs.30/-
15 constables 1st class at Rs.9+4 each	Rs.195/-
25 -----do----2nd class at Rs.8+4 each	Rs.300/-
Good conduct allowance.	Rs. 10/-
Total	Rs.640/-
	per mensem or Rs.768
	per annum.

Equipment and-clothing for the additional force Rs. 60

Total Rs.828

Cost of building quarters for the additional force Rs.23,2

The proposal involves an additional annual recurring expenditure of Rs.8280/- besides a lump sum of Rs.23,200 for quarters for officers and men,.

5. This question was engaging my attention for the last 2 years and I have on more than one occasion visited the fields ^{and have discussed the question} with the Deputy Commissioner and the District Superintendent of Police. There is every necessity for the augmentation of the Force on the fields and I perfectly agree with the Deputy Commissioner in his view and fully

lly support his recommendation.

I request that you will be so good as to move the Government to sanction the above proposal, the expenditure being transferred to the "charges against mining Revenue".

I have the honor to be,

sir,

Your most obedient servant,

M. Lakshmanan

M Inspector-General of Police.

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Letter No.C.176 dated 13th April 1911 from the Deputy Commissioner, Kolar District, to the Inspr-Genl of Police in Mysore.

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"I have the honor to submit for early action certain proposals for the augmentation of the Police Force on the Kolar Gold Fields, which is urgently needed owing to the rapid development of the Gold Mining industry during the past six years, so that the extra work devolving on it may be efficiently carried out.

762 The last increase in the Force was in the year 1905 vide Government Proceedings No.J.2519-20/Police.83-3 dated the 6th March 1905, but this was only for the newly opened station of Robertsonpet which was strengthened by 20 constables. It was in the year 1902 that the whole Force was re-organized(vide 764 Government Proceedings No.12192-95/J.984 dated the 23rd January 1902) and, among other changes, 40 additional constables were sanctioned.

3. Government in para-3 of the last as follows:- "Government are satisfied is absolutely necessary as the people the Police have to deal with are of a most promiscuous kind and have congregated from various parts of the neighbouring British Districts. Thefts of gold would seem to have been as much the object of their residence in the Field as labour and a close and vigilant watch in the first condition of success for all preventative and detective measures." This observation carries just as much weight and even more now as, since then, the population has considerably increased and more watching is needed. In consequence of such large increase in the population, many more buildings which have to be safeguarded, have arisen, and numbers of labourers working on the Mines have been driven to seek accommodation in the surrounding villages and the Government Cooly Colonies which have also extended in area. Out-posts in the ~~common~~ thickly populated Masikam and Urigam village Cooly Colonies are badly

existing Police stations and have a low class population who are so susceptible to cause disturbances ^{that} and serious crime against both person and property is not infrequent.

4. The Mysore Mines and Police Regulations have been introduced into the area in recent years and it must always be borne in mind that, unlike settled cities, the population is a purely floating one with no vested interests in the place and for proportion of bad characters will, I venture to say, easily outdo any other part of India. One of the principal duties of a Police Force is to maintain law and order ~~on~~ and undermanned Force is therefore a constant menace and source of danger to the public peace. A small detachment of one Naik and ten men of the Special Reserve Police are, however, attached to the Gold Fields but they are so frequently absent on other duty that they cannot be depended on as a permanent unit; nor will it at all be equal to the occasion should any untoward contingency arise. Since the year 1902, the Gold Mining Companies have very largely increased a valuable auxiliary to the Police on the Gold Fields- their watch establishment- which now costs them nearly a lac of rupees annually to maintain. Were it not for this Establishment the position of affairs would be deplorable, as the bulk of the actual working places are watched by them day and night.

5. Turning now to the number of additional officers and men required and bearing in mind that half measures are better left undone, I would recommend the following as the minimum strength now absolutely necessary. The stations that require strengthening are Champion Reefs, Marikuppam and Urigam. I would attach an extra Head constable to each of the latter and two head constables to Champion Reefs. With regard to the constables, I would recommend the following:-

Champion Reefs	6 first class	10 second class
Marikuppam	4 "	7 "
Urigam	5 "	8 "
	15 "	25 "

Marikuppam has, in addition to the most important Gold

ining Company on the Fields- the Mysore Mines- the Belganhalli
ooly Colony and no less than 43 villages within its limits
nd the jurisdiction for beat duty on the mining area proper
s also very extensive.

Champion Reefs has the Mine of the same name, Stephen's
amp and the troublesome Masikam and Chamarajpet Cooly Colonies
An out-post of three men with one of the extra Head constables
should be placed in charge there.

Urigam also ^{has} the Mine of the same name as well as the
Nandydroog, Tank Block and Oriental Mines and from the addi-
tional men recommended an out-post has to be opened between
Urigam village and Urigam Cooly Colony, as it is very badly
wanted.

6. The total strength of constables &c for these three sta-
tions is 121 of which 66 are required for night patrol work
alone, of the balance of 55 men, 33 are required for daily
fixed duties, which never vary, such as, Orderlies, station
writers, sentries, K.D. duty, serving processes and Court duty
&c. Of the remaining 22 men, experience has shown that about
16 must be allowed for casualties such as, leave, vacancies,
sickness, absence, suspension or Police Training School &c. It
leaves only 6 men at 3 stations for various other duties of a
miscellaneous nature that continually occur in a Police station
and there is no margin available for day patrol duty at all.

7. The Kolar Gold Fields Police has no Reserve Force and,
accordingly to the recommendation of the Indian Police Commission
there should be at Head quarters 15% of the Force to allow for
a Reserve. On this basis, 26 men are required for the exist-
ing Force of 186 men and my recommendation is for 40 men, not
for a Reserve, but for actual current Police work.

8. I attach a statement giving the population of the Kolar
Gold Fields, as well as 6 other cities, as per Census of 1901
and 1911, as well as area, proportion of Police to area and

men. From a reference to this it will be seen that the Kolar Gold Fields comes last in the actual number of officers and ^{also} men and does not compare favorably in the proportion of Police to area and population, although the populations are of a widely different class, being not only not settled but having a large percentage of criminals. A more glaring contrast is observable when a comparison of the number of Head constables is made, for while the average for the 6 cities works out at 4 the Kolar Gold Fields has only 18 of this class of officers. This, of course, means that there cannot be the same amount of supervision here as in the cities mentioned, more particularly over night beats.

Given the same proportion of Head constables to men as in these cities, it would be possible to have every beat at night in charge of a responsible Head constable with, naturally, vast better results in the work of prevention of crime; and my recommendation is for only 4 more Head constables which will bring the total up to 22. The increase in the Police Force as herein recommended, would enable it to show improved work all round and would also permit of men being deputed during the day at important points such as chowks, jatka stands &c which is done in all other places, but which, with our present force, is quite impossible, and this drawback has been keenly felt in recent times.

9. The additional cost involved will amount to a sum of Rs.7,680 per annum (or Rs.640/- per mensem) for the Head constables and men. Accommodation would have also to be provided at a cost of a lump sum of about Rs.23,000/-. A statement in detail, showing the present and proposed scale, is attached. I would also recommend that the present Gold Service Allowance of Rs.90/- per mensem be raised to Rs.100 per mensem in view of the larger number of men proposed, also Rs.600/- per annum for clothing.

10. Referring to the population of 83,721 on the ^{Gold} Fields as per recent Census, it has to be borne in mind that, owing to the outbreak of plague just prior to the taking of the Census, a ve

of the country so that, in reality, the population has to be taken at well over 100,000, or an increase of over 25% of the population of 1901. In addition to this it is calculated, by reason of the extra trains put on by the Railway Company, that another 20,000 people come into this area, in normal times, a week prior to the monthly pay day and leave shortly after it

11. Complete plans and estimates of the proposed buildings
----- attached for information".

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* C O P Y *

M. A. Shumanovsky

for Inspector-General of Police.

Comparative statement showing the population, area, strength of the Police Force, proportion of Police to area and population and proportion of officers and men in towns of a similar population.

Towns	Population as per 1901 Census	Population as per 1911 Census	No. of Police	Proportion of Police to area.	Proportion of Police to population.
Bangalore City	69,447	88,670	327	1 to .03	1 to 271
Madura	105,501	132,669	325	1 to .02	1 to 408
Mysore City	68,111	70,849	321	1 to .02	1 to 220
C. & M. Station	89,559	100,345	308	1 to .03	1 to 326
Trichinopoly	104,690	122,037	286	1 to .03	1 to 427
Salem	70,627	59,194	245	1 to .04	1 to 241
K. Gold Fields	71,083	83,721	214	1 to .08	1 to 391

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Proportion of officers and men.

	Inspectors	Sub-Inspectors	Head constables	constables.
Bangalore City	3	-	46	278
Madura	2	14	42	265
Mysore City	4	-	42	275
C. & M. Station	2	11	45	250
Trichinopoly	2	9	43	242
Salem	2	14	36	193
Kolar G. Fields	-	10	18	186

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* C O P Y *

(Sd). C. Srikantesvara Iyer

Deputy Commissioner,

Kolar District

M. Lakshmanadas

Inspector-General of Police.

PRESENT SCALE.

No.	Designation	pay per a
<u>A. Office Establishment.</u>		
1.	Superintendent of Police on Rs. 650-50-800	7,800
1	Office Head clerk on Rs. 40 plus 15	660
2	1st grade Head constables on Rs. 25 plus 10	840
1	2nd grade Head constable on Rs. 20 plus 10	360
1	1st class sergeant on Rs. 16 plus 10	312
2	1st class constables on Rs. 9 plus 4	312
2	2nd class constables on Rs. 8 plus 4	288
10	School Recruits on Rs. 6/- each per mensem.	720
		Total Rs. 11,292

B. Executive Police Force.

4	Inspectors on Rs. 100 plus 20	5,760
2	Inspectors on Rs. 80 plus 20	2,400
2	Inspectors on Rs. 60 plus 20	1,920
1	Inspector on Rs. 50 plus 20	840
2	Inspectors on Rs. 40 plus 20	1,440
5	1st grade Head constables on Rs. 25 plus 10	2,100
6	2nd grade -----do----- on Rs. 20 plus 10	2,160
4	1st class sergeants on Rs. 16 plus 10	1,240
1	Drill Instructor on Rs. 16 plus 10	312
1	-----do----- on Rs. 14/- plus 4	216
77	1st class constables on Rs. 9 plus 4	12,012
125	2nd class ---do--- on Rs. 8 plus 4	18,000
Good Service allowance at Rs. 90/- per mensem.		1,080
		Rs. 49,488

C. Miscellaneous.

clothing charges.	2,99
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Inspector-General of Police.

PROPOSED SCALE.

No. Designation pay per annum

A. Office Establishment.

1.	Superintendent of Police	on Rs. 650-50-800	7,800
1	Office Head Clerk	on Rs. 40 plus 15	660
2	1st grade Head constables	on Rs. 25 plus 10	840
1	2nd grade	-----do----- on Rs. 20 plus 10	360
1	1st class sergeant	on Rs. 16 plus 10	312
2	1st class constables	on Rs. 9 plus 4	312
2	2nd class	-----do----- on Rs. 8 plus 4	288
10	School Recruits	on Rs. 6/- each per mensem.	720
			Total Rs. 11,292.

B. Executive Police Force.

4	Inspectors	on Rs. 100 plus 20	5,760
2	Inspectors	on Rs. 80 plus 20	2,400
2	-----do-----	on Rs. 60 plus 20	1,920
1	-----do-----	on Rs. 50 plus 20	840
2	-----do-----	on Rs. 40 plus 20	1,440
8	1st grade Head constables	on Rs. 25 plus 10	3,360
7	2nd grade	-----do----- on Rs. 20 plus 10	2,520
4	1st class sergeants	on Rs. 16 plus 10	1,248
1	Drill Instructor	on Rs. 16 plus 10	312
1	-----do-----	on Rs. 14 plus 4	216
92	1st class constables	on Rs. 9 plus 4	14,352
150	2nd class	-----do----- on Rs. 8 plus 4	21,600
Good Service Allowance at Rs. 100 per month			1,200
Total Rs.			57,168

C. Miscellaneous

Clothing charges Rs. 2,992 plus Rs. 600		3,592
Buildings pucca (Burnt brick in mud with chunam plaster)		
4	Head constables' Quarters	at Rs. 800 each 3,200
40	Constables' Quarters	at Rs. 500 each 20,000
Total Rs.		23,200/-

REVISION OF ESTABLISHMENT.

relates... *Kolar Gold Fields* ...

Proposition							Grounds Proposition	Imp- ler's port	Orders of Government		
Permanent		Temporary				Department concerned			Financial Department		
Increase per month	Decrease per month	Increase per month	Decrease per month						Remarks	Remarks	Orders
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Vide Letter No. 7093/682 dated 31/5/1911 to Government											
cesses for imp. port.											

Vide Letter No. 7093/682 dated 31/5/1911 to Government
no excess for 1911-12

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For Director to

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STATEMENT OF PROPOSITION

Name of Office to which the Prop

Government Order Functioning present Establishment		Nature of Charge									
		Present Scale					Proposed Scale				
		Pay			Average Cost per Annum	Pay			Average Cost per Annum		
No.	Date	No.	Designation	Minimum	Rate of Increase	Maximum	No.	Designation	Minimum	Rate of Increase	
		1.	Establishment				1.	Establishment			
		1.	Clerk @ 40/-	-	-	480	1.	Clerk @ 40/-	-	-	
		2.	Hd. Const. 25/-	-	-	600	2.	Hd. Const. 25/-	-	-	
		1.	Do 20/-	-	-	240	1.	Do 20/-	-	-	
		1.	Sergeant 16/-	-	-	192	1.	Sergeant 16/-	-	-	
		2.	Consts. 9/-	-	-	216	2.	Consts. 9/-	-	-	
		2.	Do 8/-	-	-	192	2.	Do 8/-	-	-	
			Local allowances					Local allowances			
			Clerk (5) Hd. Const. 3(10) Sergeants					Clerk (5) Hd. Const. 3(10) Sergeants			
			(101 and Const. 4(4))			852		(101 and Const. 4(4))			
			Executive Force.					Executive Force.			
		2.	Inspectors 125	10	175	39,000	2.	Inspectors 125	10	175	
		1.	Do 100	-	-	1200	1.	Do 100	-	-	
		2.	Do 80	-	-	1920	2.	Do 80	-	-	
		2.	Do 60	-	-	1440	2.	Do 60	-	-	
		2.	Do 50	-	-	1200	2.	Do 50	-	-	
		5.	Hd. Const. 25/-	-	-	1500	8.	Hd. Const. 25/-	-	-	
		5.	Do 20/-	-	-	1200	6.	Do 20/-	-	-	
		4.	Sergeants 16/-	-	-	768	4.	Sergeants 16/-	-	-	
		1.	Do 14/-	-	-	168	1.	Do 14/-	-	-	
		72	Consts. 9/-	-	-	7776	87	Consts. 9/-	-	-	
		110.	Do 8/-	-	-	10860	135	Do 8/-	-	-	
		10.	Recruits 6/-	-	-	720	10.	Recruits	-	-	
			Local allowance								
			Hd. Consts. 10(10)	-	-	1200		Hd. Consts. 14(10)	-	-	
			Sergts. 4(10)(4)	-	-	528		Sergts. 4(10)(4)	-	-	
			Consts. 132(4)	-	-	8736		Consts. 222(4)	-	-	
			Good conduct allowance	-	-	1080		Good conduct allowance	-	-	
			Horse allowance to Inspectors 9(20)	-	-	2160		Horse allowance	-	-	
			Total			46128		Total			53880
		3.	Equipment & clothing	-	-	2992	3.	Equipment & clothing	-	-	
		10.	Grand Total			49120	10.	Grand Total			

Note—To be prepared in duplicate and forwarded through the Controller in Mysore and should be followed by a reappropriation statement of the proposal involve additional expenditure.

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Police

File No. 230-4

Serial No. 2

Diary No. of letter replied to

No. 3508 Encl 4

General and Revenue Secretariat

Date of issue 24-6-11

Signed by Mr. S. Wrayan

The I. G. of Police in Mysore
Has the honor to
reiterate herewith his letter
no 7073-682 dated the 31st
May 1911 regarding the
increase of the police force
on the K. S. F. and to
request that the same may
be sent through the
Comptroller as required by
G. P. no. 7006-286 Fin 456-08
dated the 28th April 1909.

By Order

[Signature]

For Secy.

SUBJECT.

It is requested that in future communications on the subject, the no. and date of this letter, and the distinguishing letters below the number as given opposite, may be noted.

10/11-12
Subject: Police
File No. 230-10
Subd. No. 3

OFFICE OF THE COMPTROLLER, MYSORE GOVERNMENT,

Dated Bangalore, the 19th September 1911.

FROM

J. S. CHAKRAVARTI, Esq., M.A., F.R.A.S., etc.,

Comptroller to the Govt. of

His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.

To,

C.S. Balasundaram Iyer Esq., B.A.,

Secretary to the Government of Mysore,

General and Revenue Departments

I have the honour to forward herewith duly verified a proposition statement received in duplicate together with letter No. 7093/682 dated 31st May 1911 in original addressed to you by the Inspector General of Police in Mysore on the question of strengthening the Kolar Gold Fields Police Force. The proposal of the Inspector General is to increase the number of Head Constables on Rs. 25 and Rs. 20 by 3 and 1 respectively and of Constables on 9 and 8 by 15 and 25 respectively. The proposals if sanctioned will result in the following additions to recurring expenditure.-

Salaries	...	5,160 per annum
Local Allowance	..	2,520
Equipment and		
Clothing	...	600
		8,280

Besides the above an initial expenditure of Rs. 23,200 in
quarters has also been proposed by the Inspector General.
Considering the deficit Budget sanctioned for the current
year it is a question for orders whether the proposals
the Inspector General should be sanctioned.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant

M. N. H. S. M. S.

For Comptroller.

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STATEMENT OF PROPOSITION FOR
Name of Office to which the Proposition

Government Order sanctioning present Establishment		Nature of Charge										
		Present Scale					Proposed Scale					
		No.	Designation	Pay			Average Cost per annum	No.	Designation	Pay		
Minimum	Rate of Increase			Maxi- mum	Minimum	Rate of Increase				Maxi- mum		
No.	Date											
		Establishment.						Establishment.				
		1	Clerk @ 40			480	1	Clerk 40/-				
		2	Head Consts. 25/-			600	2	Hd. Consts. 25/-				
		1	Do. 20/-			240	1	Do. 20/-				
		1	Sergeant. 16/-			192	1	Sergeant 16/-				
		2	Constables 9/-			216	2	Constables 9/-				
		2	Do. 8/-			192	2	Do 8/-				
		Local allowances.						Local allowances.				
		Clerk (5) Head } Consts. 3 (10) Sergt } (10) and Consts 4 (4) }					852	Clerk (5) Hd Const. } 3 (10) Sergt (10) } and Const. 4 (4) }				
		Executive force.						Executive force.				
		2	Inspectors	125	10	175	3900	2	Inspectors	125	10	175
		1	Do. 100				1200	1	Do.			
		2	Do. 80				1920	2	Do.			
		2	Do. 60				1440	2	Do.			
		2	Do. 50				1200	2	Do.			
		5	Hd Const. 25/-				1500	8	Hd Consts. 25/-			
		5	Do. 20/-				1200	6	Do. 20/-			
		4	Sergeants 16/-				768	4	Sergeants 16/-			
		1	Do. 14/-				168	1	Do. 14/-			
		7	Consts. 9/-				7776	87	Consts. 9/-			
		11	Do. 8/-				10560	135	Do. 8/-			
		10	Recruits 6/-				720	10	Recruits 6/-			
		Local allowances.						Local allowances.				
		Hd Const. 10 (10)					1200	Hd Consts. 10 (10)				
		Sergts 4 (10) (4)					528	Sergts 4 (10) (4)				
		Consts (82) (4)					8736	Consts. 222 (4)				
		Good Conduct allowance					1080	Good Conduct allowance				
		H. allowance to Inspectors 2 (2)					2160	Horse allowance				
		Total					49128	Total				
		Equipment & Clothing					2992	Equipment & Clothing				
		Grand Total					52120	Grand Total				
							49120					

to be prepared in duplicate and forwarded through the Comptroller in Mysore and should be
by a reappropriation statement of the proposal involves additional expenditure.

REVISION OF ESTABLISHMENT.

elates. *Kolar. Salid. Fields. Police.*

GPB-309-20-409

Proposition						Grounds of Proposition	Comptroller's Report	Orders of Government		
Permanent			Temporary					Department concerned	Financial Department	
Increase per month	Decrease per month		Increase per month	Decrease per month				Remarks	Remarks	Order
Amount	Amount	Period	Amount	Period	Amount					
700						Vide letter No: 7093/682 dated 31/5/1911 to Government.	The Present scale checked and found to be correct 7. July 1911 by 29-7-11 Asst Comptroller			
40										
20										
100										
70										
640 per month										

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FROM

*The Inspector-General of
Police in Mysore.*

To

*The Secretary to the Govt. of
H. H. the Maharaja of Mysore,
Gen. & Rev. Depts.*

Dated *24th February 1912*

Despatched *7*

Received

General No. *3322*
No. *404*

Enclosure No. *one*

Request early sanction for

*increase of Police force at Kolar
Gold Fields.*

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No. 3322	Encl. 1
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FROM	406
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OFFICE OF THE INSPECTOR-GENERAL OF POLICE IN MYSORE,

Dated Bangalore, 26th February 1912.

C. Srikanthasvara Aiyar Esquire, B.A., B.L.,

Offg. Inspector-General of Police in Mysore.

To

C. S. Balasundaram Aiyer Esquire, B.A.,

Offg. Secretary to the Government of H. H. the Maharaja of Mysore,
General and Revenue Department

Sir,

With reference to your docket No.

J.3508/Police.230-10-2 dated 24th June 1911,

regarding the increase of the Police Force on

the Kolar Gold Fields, I have the honor to state

that the Proposition statement has been for-

warded to the Comptroller with this office letter

No.309/33 dated 19th July 1911 for verification

and submission to Government. The Deputy

Commissioner, Kolar District, in his letter No.

C.170 dated 6th February 1912(copy enclosed)

urges the necessity for early sanction of the

proposal.

2. I may be permitted to point out here

that the recent strike of the coolies on the

Kolar Gold Fields and the state of the times

both

both accentuate the urgent necessity for being prepared to cope with the ever increasing demand on the energy of the Force, which as long as it remains unaugmented will only be at the serious risk of danger to Public safety and order in this special locality.

3. I therefore request that Government may be moved to kindly sanction the proposal at a very early date.

I have the honor to be,
sir,

Your most obedient servant,

A. K. Ambekar

Offg. Inspector-General of Police

Me

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Letter No.C.170 dated the 6th February'19 from the Deputy Commissioner, Kolar District, to the Inspector-General Police in Mysore, Bangalore.

In continuation of my previous reference on the subject, I have the honor to urge again my proposals regarding the increase of the Police Force on the Kolar Gold Fields and to beg that very early orders may be obtained in the matter, which is assuming graver importance as was shown in the recent strike of the coolies on the Champion Reefs Mine, when the paucity of Constables was very acutely felt.

2. The present and ~~the~~ proposed strength is given below. I particularly wish to emphasize the fact that what is principally and emergently needed is additional Constabular

Present strength		Proposed strength	
Head Constables and Sergeants	Constables	Head Constables and Sergeants.	Constables
15.	206.	19.	246.

3. This proposal results in only an increase in expenditure (including recurring clothing charges etc.,) of Rs.69 per mensem, which, taking into consideration the steady increase in both the development of mining operations and volume of work and the population in recent years cannot but be considered as moderate. It has also to be conceded that the work devolving on the Police, at present, is excessive even for ordinary routine duty; and in a grave emergency such as would have arisen very suddenly, if the recent strike had become general over the whole Fields, they would be in a

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not for want of officers but for want of sufficient rank and
file.

4. As it is, in the matter of watch and ward only, the Police are ably assisted by the Kolar Gold Fields watch Establishment in the private employ of the Mining Companies here, numbering, as they do, 614, consisting almost entirely of pensioned and discharged soldiers etc., and costing the Companies nearly one and half lakhs of rupees per annum.

5. The observation of Government in their Proceedings No.12192-95/J.984 dated the 23rd January 1902, that the people, the Police here have to deal with, are of a most promiscuous kind, having congregated from various parts of the neighbouring British Districts, carries just as much weight and even more now than it did then as the population has very materially increased and is of the same kind.

6. The Mysore Mines and Police Regulations have been introduced into the area in recent years, which gives additional work to the Police; and outposts are urgently needed in the densely populated Masikam and Ooregum village cooly colonies.

7. For the foregoing, among other reasons submitted in my last letter on the subject, I beg that this matter may be treated as extremely urgent and early orders obtained.

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"C O P Y."

Sikandar Ali

Offg: Inspr-General of Police.

S.S.G.

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22/10 (4 pm)

Fair draft

Police

File No. 230-1

Serial No. *4*

Diary No. of letter replied to.

*Proceedings of the Government of His Highness
the Maharaja of Mysore.*

GENERAL AND REVENUE
SECRETARIAT.

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READ—

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Date of issue

Signed by

Printed 24/6/12

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-----Letter no. 7093-682 dated
the 31st May 1971 from the D.G.

of Police in Mysore, submitting

proposals for the increase of the

police force on the Kalas Gold Field

[Print in column with enclosure]

ORDER THEREON.—No.

f3456-8.

The police force of the Kolar Gold Fields was organized in 1902 and an additional force of 20 constables was subsequently sanctioned in 1903.

over,

SUBJECT.

at Robertsonpet. Owing to steady
 and rapid development of
 the gold-mining industry and
 the considerable increase in
 the population which is largely
 a floating one with a large
 percentage of criminal classes
 the present police force of the
 place has been found to be
 inadequate for the efficient
 maintenance of law and order
 and an increase in ~~the~~ its
 strength is urgently called for.
 Govt. are accordingly pleased
 to sanction the I.G.'s proposals
 for the establishment of an
 additional establishment of
 4 Hd. Constables and 40 constables
 as noted below:--

3 Hd. Constables, 1st grade at Rs 25+10	Rs 105
1 Hd. Constable, 2nd grade at Rs 20+10	Rs 30
15 Constables, 1st class at Rs 9+4	Rs 195
25 Constables, 2nd class at Rs 8+4	Rs 300
	Rs 630
Good conduct allowance Rs 10 p.m.	
	Rs 640 per man
	or Rs 7680 per annum
Equipment & Clothing Rs 600	
Total	Rs 8280.

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GENERAL AND REVENUE
SECRETARIAT.

(Continuation Sheet draft form.)

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2. Necessary provision
should be made in the
budgets of the Police Dept. for
1912-13 and the succeeding
years for the extra recurring
expenditure of Rs 8.280 per
annum.

3. The Chief Engineer
is requested to provide a sum
of Rs 23200 in the next
year's P.W. budget for
quarters for officers and
men and to see that the
work is carried out ex-
pediently.

SAC

To

22/6/12

Secretary.

The I. G. of Police in Mysore

The Comptroller to Govt.

(thru the F. L. Br.)

The Chief Engineer.

Copy to Br. II, Budget Section.

CB 22/6 1912

Proceedings of the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.

AD—

Letter No. 7093—682, dated the 31st May 1911, from the Inspector-General of Police Mysore, submitting proposals for the increase of Police force on the Kolar Gold Fields:—

"I have the honor to forward herewith copies of letter No. C. 176, dated 13th April 1911, and its enclosures from the Deputy Commissioner, Kolar District, submitting proposals for the increase of Police force in the Kolar Gold Fields urgently needed owing to the rapid development of the gold mining industry for the past 6 years.

2. The Police force of the Kolar Gold Fields was organized in the year 1902 (*vide* Government Proceedings No. 12192-95—J. 984, dated 23rd January 1902, and an additional force of 20 constables was subsequently sanctioned in the year 1905) for the newly opened Robertsonpet Police Station. (*Vide* Government Proceedings No. 2519-20—Police 83-3, dated 6th March 1905.) Since then the population has considerably increased and this being so, one requires greater vigilance on the part of the police to maintain law and order among them.

3. From the comparative statement showing area, population, etc., of certain cities in Mysore and Madras, it will be seen that the proportion of policemen to population is much less in the Kolar Gold Fields, than the Cities of Bangalore and Mysore, though the population is only about 5,000 less than the Bangalore City. I may be permitted here to observe that the Kolar Gold Fields cannot be compared with the cities of the same population as situations and conditions are different. The Kolar Gold Fields has mostly low class of people who are addicted to the commission of offences and especially thefts for which there is ample temptation in the Fields.

4. The Deputy Commissioner proposes the following additional force to the existing sanctioned strength:—

	Rs.
3 Head Constables, 1st grade, at Rs. 25 + 10, each ...	105
1 Do 2nd grade at Rs. 20 + 10 each ...	30
15 Constables, 1st class, at Rs. 9 + 4 each ...	195
25 Do 2nd class at Rs. 8 + 4 each ...	300
Good conduct allowance ...	10
Per mensem Total ...	640
or per annum ...	7,680
Equipment and clothing for the additional force ...	600
Total ...	8,280
Cost of building quarters for the additional force ...	23,200

The proposal involves an additional annual recurring expenditure of Rs. 8,280, besides a lump sum of Rs. 23,200 for quarters for officers and men.

5. This question was engaging my attention for the last two years and I have on more than one occasion visited the Fields and have discussed the question with the Deputy Commissioner and the District Superintendent of Police. There is every necessity for the augmentation of the force on the Fields and I perfectly agree with the Deputy Commissioner in his view and fully support his recommendation.

6. I request that you will be so good as to move the Government to sanction the above proposal, the expenditure being transferred to the "charges against mining revenue."

Letter No. C. 176, dated 13th April 1911 from the Deputy Commissioner, Kolar District, to the Inspector-General of Police in Mysore:—

"I have the honor to submit for early action certain proposals for the augmentation of the Police force on the Kolar Gold Fields, which is urgently needed owing to the rapid development of the gold mining industry during the past six years, so that the extra work devolving on it may be efficiently carried out.

2. The last increase in the force was in the year 1905 (*vide* Government Proceedings No. J. 2519-20—Police 83-3, dated the 6th March 1905), but this was only for the newly opened station of Robertsonpet which was strengthened by 20 constables. It was in the year 1902, that the whole force was re-organized (*vide* Government Proceedings No. 12192-95—J. 984, dated the 23rd January 1902) and, among other changes, 40 additional constables were sanctioned.

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3. Government in para 3 of the last quoted proceedings observe as follows:—
‘Government are satisfied that this augmented force is absolutely necessary, as the people the Police have to deal with, are of a most promiscuous kind and have congregated from various parts of the neighbouring British Districts. Thefts of gold would seem to have been as much the object of their residence in the Field as labour and a close and vigilant watch is the first condition of success for all preventive and detective measures.’ This observation carries just as much weight and even more now as, since then, the population has considerably increased and more watching is needed. In consequence of such large increase in the population, many more buildings, which have to be safeguarded, have arisen, and numbers of labourers working on the Mines have been driven to seek accommodation in the surrounding villages and the Government Cooly Colonies which have also extended in area. Out-posts in the thickly populated Masikam and Urigam village Cooly Colonies are badly needed as they are at a considerable distance from the existing Police stations and have a low class population who are so susceptible to cause disturbances that serious crime against both persons and property is not infrequent.

4. The Mysore Mines and Police Regulations have been introduced into the area in recent years and it must always be borne in mind that, unlike settled cities, the population is a purely floating one with no vested interests in the place and for proportion of bad characters will, I venture to say, easily outdo any other part of India. One of the principal duties of a Police force is to maintain law and order and undermanned force is therefore a constant menace and source of danger to the public peace. A small detachment of one Naik and ten men of the Special Reserve Police are, however, attached to the Gold Fields, but they are so frequently absent on other duty that they cannot be depended on as a permanent unit, nor will it at all be equal to the occasion, should any untoward contingency arise. Since the year 1903, the Gold Mining Companies have very largely increased a valuable auxiliary to the Police on the Gold Fields, their watch establishment which now costs them nearly a lakh of rupees annually to maintain. Were it not for this establishment the position of affairs would be deplorable, as the bulk of the actual working places are watched by them day and night.

5. Turning now to the number of additional officers and men required and bearing in mind that half measures are better left undone, I would recommend the following as the minimum strength now absolutely necessary. The stations that require strengthening are Champion Reefs, Marikuppam and Urigam. I would attach an extra Head Constable to each of the latter and two Head Constables to Champion Reefs. With regard to the constables, I would recommend the following:—

Champion Reefs	6 first class	10 second class	...	16
Marikuppam	4 ..	7 ..	...	11
Urigam	5 ..	8 ..	...	13
Total	15	25		40

Marikuppam has, in addition to the most important Gold Mining Company on the Fields, the Mysore Mines, the Belganhalli, Cooly Colony and no less than 43 villages within its limits and the jurisdiction for beat duty on the mining area proper is also very extensive.

Champion Reefs has the Mine of the same name, Stephen's Camp and the troublesome Masikam and Chamarajpet Cooly Colonies. An out-post of three men with one of the extra Head Constables should be placed in charge here.

Urigam also has the Mine of the same name as well as the Nandydroog, Tank Block and Oriental Mines and from the additional men recommended an out-post has to be opened between Urigam village and Urigam Cooly Colony, as it is very badly wanted.

6. The total strength of constables, etc., for these three stations is 121, of which 66 are required for night patrol work alone, of the balance of 55 men, 33 are required for daily fixed duties, which never vary, such as, orderlies, station writers, sentries, K. D. duty, serving processes and Court duty, etc. Of the remaining 22 men, experience has shown that about 16 must be allowed for casualties such as, leave, vacancies, sickness, absence, suspension or Police Training School, etc. It leaves only 6 men at 3 stations for various other duties of a miscellaneous nature that continually occur in a Police station and there is no margin available for day patrol duty at all.

7. The Kolar Gold Fields Police has no Reserve Force and, according to the recommendation of the Indian Police Commission there should be at headquarters 15 per cent of the force to allow for a Reserve. On this basis, 26 men are required for the existing force of 186 men and my recommendation is for 40 men, not for a Reserve, but for *actual current police work*.

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8. I attach a statement giving the population of the Kolar Gold Fields, as well as 6 other cities, as per Census of 1901 and 1911, as well as area, proportion of Police to area and population and a comparison of the number of officers and men. From a reference to this it will be seen that the Kolar Gold Fields, comes last in the actual number of officers and men and also does not compare favorably in the proportion of Police to area and population, though the populations are of a widely different class, being not only not settled but having a large percentage of criminals. A more glaring contrast is observable when a comparison of the number of Head Constables is made, for while the average for the 6 cities works out at 22, the Kolar Gold Fields has only 18 of this class of officers. This, of course, means that there cannot be the same amount of supervision here as in the cities mentioned, more particularly, over night beats.

Given the same proportion of Head Constables to men as in these cities, it would be possible to have every beat at night in charge of a responsible Head Constable with, naturally, the better results in the work of prevention of crime; and my recommendation is for only 4 more Head Constables which will bring the total up to 22. The increase in the Police force herein recommended, would enable it to show improved work all round and would also permit of men being deputed during the day at important points such as chowks, jatkands, etc., which is done in all other places, but which, with our present force, is quite impossible, and this drawback has been keenly felt in recent times.

9. The additional cost involved will amount to a sum of Rs. 7,680 per annum (Rs. 640 per mensem) for the Head Constables and men. Accommodation would have to be provided at a cost of a lump sum of about Rs. 23,200. A statement in detail, showing the present and proposed scale, is attached. I would also recommend that the present food service allowance of Rs. 90 per mensem be raised to Rs. 100 per mensem in view of the larger number of men proposed, also Rs. 600 per annum for clothing.

10. Referring to the population of 83,721 on the Gold Fields as per recent Census, it is to be borne in mind that, owing to the outbreak of plague just prior to the taking of the Census, a very large number of people had emigrated to different parts of the country so that in reality, the population has to be taken at well over 1,00,000, or an increase of over 25 per cent of the population of 1901. In addition to this it is calculated, by reason of the extra trains put on by the Railway Company, that another 20,000 people come into this area, in small times, a week prior to the monthly pay day and leave shortly after it.

11. Complete plans and estimates of the proposed buildings are also attached for information."

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Comparative statement showing the population, area, strength of the Police force, proportion of Police to area and population and proportion of officers and men in towns of a similar population.

Cities	Population as per 1901 Census	Population as per 1911 Census	Number of Police	Area	Proportion of Police to area	Proportion of Police to population
Bangalore City	69,417	66,670	327	11	1 to '03	1 to 271
Madura	135,501	182,669	325	7	1 to '02	1 to 409
Mysore City	68,111	70,849	324	7½	1 to '03	1 to 220
Civil and Military Station	89,553	100,345	308	12	1 to '03	1 to 326
Trichinopoly	104,630	123,037	286	10	1 to '03	1 to 427
Salem	70,627	69,194	245	10	1 to '04	1 to 241
Kolar Gold Fields	71,083	83,721	214	19	1 to '08	1 to 331

Proportion of officers and men.

	Inspectors	Sub-Inspectors	Head Constables	Constables
Bangalore City	3	...	46	278
Madura	2	14	42	265
Mysore City	4	...	42	276
Civil and Military Station	2	11	45	240
Trichinopoly	2	9	43	242
Salem	2	14	36	193
Kolar Gold Fields	10		18	186

Kolar Gold Fields Police

PRESENT SCALE			PROPOSED SCALE		
No.	Designation	Pay per annum	No.	Designation	Pay per annum
A. Office Establishment.			A. Office Establishment.		
1	Superintendent of Police on Rs. 650-50-800	7,800	1	Superintendent of Police on Rs. 650-50-800	7,800
1	Office Head Clerk on Rs. 40 plus 15	660	1	Office Head Clerk on Rs. 40 plus 15	660
2	1st grade Head Constables on Rs. 25 plus 10	840	2	1st grade Head Constable on Rs. 25 plus 10	840
1	2nd grade Head Constable on Rs. 20 plus 10	360	1	2nd grade Head Constables on Rs. 20 plus 10	360
1	1st class Sergeant on Rs. 16 plus 10	312	1	1st class Sergeant on Rs. 16 plus 10	312
2	1st class Constables on Rs. 9 plus 4	312	2	1st class Constables on Rs. 9 plus 4	312
2	2nd class Constables on Rs. 8 plus 4	288	2	2nd class Constables on Rs. 8 plus 4	288
10	School Recruits on Rs. 6 each per mensem	720	10	School Recruits on Rs. 6 each per mensem	720
Total		11,292	Total		11,292
B. Executive Police Force.			B. Executive Police Force.		
4	Inspectors on Rs. 100 plus 20	5,760	4	Inspectors on Rs. 100 plus 20	5,760
2	Do on Rs. 80 plus 20	2,400	2	Do on Rs. 80 plus 20	2,400
2	Do on Rs. 60 plus 20	1,920	2	Do on Rs. 60 plus 20	1,920
1	Do on Rs. 50 plus 20	840	1	Do on Rs. 50 plus 20	840
2	Do on Rs. 40 plus 20	1,440	2	Do on Rs. 40 plus 20	1,440
5	1st grade Head Constables on Rs. 25 plus 10	2,100	8	1st grade Head Constables on Rs. 25 plus 10	3,360
6	2nd grade Head Constables on Rs. 20 plus 10	2,160	7	2nd grade Head Constables on Rs. 20 plus 10	2,520
4	1st class Sergeants on Rs. 16 plus 10	1,248	4	1st class Sergeants on Rs. 16 plus 10	1,248
1	Drill Instructor on Rs. 16 plus 10	312	1	Drill Instructor on Rs. 16 plus 10	312
1	Do on Rs. 14 plus 4	216	1	Do on Rs. 14 plus 4	216
77	1st class Constables on Rs. 9 plus 4	12,013	92	1st class Constables on Rs. 9 plus 4	14,352
125	2nd class Constables on Rs. 8 plus 4	13,000	150	2nd class Constables on Rs. 8 plus 4	21,600
	Good service allowance at Rs. 90 per mensem	1,080		Good service allowance at Rs. 100 per month	1,200
Total		43,483	Total		57,163
C. Miscellaneous.			C. Miscellaneous.		
	Clothing charges	2,932		Clothing charges Rs. 2,932 plus Rs. 600	3,532
				Buildings pucca (burnt brick in mud with chunani plaster) —	
4	Head Constables' quarters at Rs. 800 each	3,200		Head Constables' quarters at Rs. 800 each	3,200
10	Constables' quarters at 500 each	20,000		Constables' quarters at 500 each	20,000
Total			Total		23,200
					7,680 or Rs. 640 per mensem

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STATEMENT OF PROPOSITION FOR REVISION OF ESTABLISHMENT.

Name of Office to which the Proposition relates—Kolar Gold Fields Police.

Government Order sanctioning present establishment	Nature of charge				Proposed scale				Proposition				Orders of Government				
	Present scale		Proposed scale		No.	Designation	Pay		Average cost per annum	Permanent		Temporary		Remarks	Remarks		
	No.	Date	No.	Date			Minimum	Rate of increase		Maximum	Amount	Increase per annum	Increase per month			Decrease per month	Amount
Government Order No. 12192-35-J. 94, dated 23rd January 1902. 2099-210-J. P. 138-01, dated 30th June 1903. 273-77-J. P. 148-03, dated 30th July 1903. J. 2519-20-P. 83-3, dated 6th March 1905.	1		Establishment.	Rs.		Rs.	1	Establishment.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.						
	2		Clerk at 40				2	Clerk at Rs. 40		480							
	1		Head Constables at Rs. 25				1	Head constables at Rs. 25		600							
	1		Head Constable at Rs. 20				1	Head constable at Rs. 20		340							
	1		Sergeant at Rs. 16				1	Sergeant at Rs. 16		210							
	2		Constables at Rs. 9				2	Constables at Rs. 9		216							
	2		Do at " 8				2	Do at " 8		192							
	2		Local Allowances—Clerk (15), Head Constables (10), Sergeants (10), and constables 4 (4)				2	Local Allowances—Clerk (15), Head Constables (10), Sergeants (10), and Constables 4		852							
	2		Executive Force.				2	Executive Force.									
	1		Inspectors	135	10	175	1	Inspectors		3,900							
The present scale checked and found to be correct. T. SATYANARAJ CHETTI, Assistant Comptroller.	2		Inspector 100				2	Inspector at 100		1,200							
	1		Inspector 50				1	Inspector at 50		1,920							
	2		Inspector 60				2	Inspector at 60		1,410							
	2		Inspector 50				2	Inspector at 50		1,200							
	5		Head Constables at Rs. 25				5	Head Constables at Rs. 25		1,500							
	5		Head constables at Rs. 20				5	Head Constables at Rs. 20		1,200							
	4		Sergeants at Rs. 16				4	Sergeants at Rs. 16		768							
	1		Do at Rs. 14				1	Do at Rs. 14		168							
	72		Constables at Rs. 9				87	Constables at Rs. 9		7,776							
	110		Do at Rs. 8				135	Do at Rs. 8		10,560							
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			Local Allowances—Head Constables 10 (10)					Local Allowances—Head Constables 10 (10)		1,200							
			Sergeants 4 (10), (4)					Sergeants 4 (10), (4)		624							
			Constables 222 (4)					Constables 222 (4)		8,736							
			Good conduct allowance					Good conduct allowance		1,080							
			Horse allowance to Inspectors 9 (20)					Horse allowance		2,160							
			Total					Total		46,128							
			Equipment and clothing					Equipment and clothing		2,992							
			Grand Total					Grand Total		49,120							
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No. J. 3756-8—POLICE 230-10-4, DATED BANGALORE, 24TH JUNE 1912.

ORDER THEREON.—The Police Force of the Kolar Gold Fields was organised in 1902, and an additional force of 20 constables was subsequently sanctioned in 1905, for the newly opened Police Station at Robertsonpet. Owing to the steady and rapid development of the Gold Mining industry and the considerable increase in the population which is largely a floating one, with a large percentage of criminal classes, the present Police Force of the place has been found to be inadequate for the efficient maintenance of law and order and an increase in its strength is urgently called for. Government are accordingly pleased to sanction the Inspector-General's proposals for the entertainment of an additional establishment of four Head Constables and 40 constables as noted below:—

		Rs.
3 Head Constables, 1st grade, at Rs. 25 + 10	...	105
1 Head Constable, 2nd grade, at Rs. 20 + 10	...	30
15 Constables, 1st class, at Rs. 9 + 4	...	195
25 Constables, 2nd class, at Rs. 8 + 4	...	300

Total	...	630
Good conduct allowance	...	10

Total per mensem	...	640
or per annum	...	7,680
Equipment and clothing	...	600

Total	...	8,280

2. Necessary provision should be made in the budgets of the Police Departments for the year 1912-13 and the succeeding years for the extra recurring expenditure of Rs. 8,280 per annum.

3. The Chief Engineer of Mysore is requested to provide a sum of Rs. 23,200, in the next year's Public Works Budget for the quarters of officers and men and to see that the work is carried out expeditiously.

K. R. SRINIVASIENGAR,
Offg. Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.

To—The Inspector-General of Police in Mysore.

The Comptroller to Government, (through Branch II).

The Chief Engineer of Mysore.

Exd.—c. R.

1911-12

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JUDICIAL AND LEGISLATIVE
(POLICE)

PROCEEDINGS

Dated 24th June 1912

No. J. 3756-8
Police 230-10

Sanctioning an addition of four H
Constables and forty Constables to
Police Force on the Kolar Gold Fields